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Frederick J. Ehrenberg

Funeral services were held last Wednesday afternoon at St. Paul's Lutheran church in Ferney for Frederick John Ehrenberg, 79, of Groton, who passed away January 20, after a long illness. The Rev. J. E. Schwarting officiated.

Mr. Ehrenberg was born at New Friedland, Germany, February 13, 1871. He came to America in 1894, settling near Ferney, South Dakota. On December 19, 1898, he was united in marriage with Pauline Emilie Knuth. They resided northwest of Andover for two years before moving to their farm southeast of Groton, where he resided until his death.

His widow, one daughter, Mrs. Lyle Clocksone of Groton; three sons, Paul of Mobridge; George of Andover, and Gus., at home; 13 grandchildren; one brother, Carl, of St. Paul, mourn his passing. A son, William, preceded him in death.

Services were conducted at the home prior to the church service. Vocalists at the church services were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ott and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stange. Mrs. J. E. Schwarting was organist.

Pallbearers were: August Grieben, Herman Krueger, Art. Pigors, Carl Pigors, Albert Bahr and Wm. Raecke.

Mr. Ehrenberg was a kind and devoted husband and father, and his high ideals in life gained for him the fellowship and respect of all who knew him. The many friends of the highly esteemed pioneer extend deep sympathy to the family in the loss of their loved one.

Among the relatives and friends here to attend the last rites were: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Ivory Long, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Harvey, Mrs. Vic. Rix and Harvey, Mrs. Harry Mosher, all of Philip, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mortenson, of Midland, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hosek and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Priebe of Platte, S. D.; Art., Hilda and Marie Ehrenberg of St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byrnes of Mobridge and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Firesteel.